the Commissioners of the said county, as recited in the preamble to this act, he shall be entitled to retain the amount of his said payment of the tax with which he may be assessed under the provisions of this act; and if he shall have transferred the property assessed to him, and for which he shall have made payment of the said tax aforesaid; the person to whom the said transfer shall have been made shall be entitled to the benefit of the discount aforesaid, to the extent of the tax so assessed against the said property and paid as aforesaid.

To determine upon claims.

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That the said Commissioners shall be and they are hereby authorized and empowered at their meeting, to be held for the purpose of making the levy to defray the expenses for the said county for the year eighteen hundred and sixty-four, or at some other meeting to be held specially for the purpose, to determine upon all claims which shall or may be made for discounts or allowances under the provisions of the last preceding section.

Declared valid.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That the proceedings of the Commissioners in levying and collecting the tax imposed by them as aforesaid, and the engagements entered into by them, in consequence thereof, be and the same are hereby made and declared to be valid and operative, and that all further proceedings for the purpose of collecting the said tax, be and the same are hereby suspended.

In force.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the day of its passage.